Mansfield Community Playground Project Meeting Minutes

Date: November 8.2012

Present: Sara Anderson, Kathleen Krider, Megan Huff, Heather Bunnell, Chad Rittenhouse, & Ellen Tulman

Next Meeting: Thursday December 13, 2012, 7:00 pm in Conference Rm B

I. Minutes approved from Oct. mtg (Draft minutes will now be sent to entire committee directly by Ellen. Approved minutes to Jillene to be made available on Town website)

II. General Coordinator Update

- a. Financial Overview (submitted by Julia & shared with committee by Sara)
 - i. We need to identify & plan 2 additional "grass roots" fundraisers
 - ii. A list of potential grants has been identified. Kathleen Krider, Edan Tulman, & Kevin Grunwald have offered to assist in writing.
 - iii. Discussion of miscellaneous budget items.
 - iv. Review of Schematic
 - 1. Discussion of possibly adding another bucket swing in "big kid" area if does not impact budget. Sara to ask L & A

III. Committee Updates

- a. Tasks for some coordinators can be found online, specifically Volunteers & Tools (Chad noted that dates are not accurate going through 1/2014)
- b. Design & Special Features Heather is looking for a more clear timeline. Sara to look into this.
- c. A new website is in the works

IV. Fundraising Events

- a. Craft Fair at EOSmith
 - i. Heather encouraged everyone to make personal invitations to events. Stressed the importance of personal connections.
 - ii. Holiday Market to be held 12/1/12 at Buchanan Auditorium. (additional information provided on separate handout)
 - iii. Sports Bar fundraiser. Possible date end of January. Recently the owner has been out of touch. Julia planning to make personal contact.
 - iv. Component Sales. One has been sold to local business.
 - v. Kathleen offered suggestions of local builders (specifically to Chad re: tools) to contact (Frank Hallie & Beebe among them)
 - vi. Papa Gino's fundraiser postponed. Possible new date of 12/5/12.

Minutes prepared & respectfully submitted by Ellen Tulman on 11/8/12